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### INTERNATIONALLY RENOWNED AMERICAN SOPRANO ROBERTA ALEXANDER WILL PERFORM IN MASTER CLASS AT UD

DAYTON, Ohio — Hailed as one of America's most compelling contemporary singing actresses, soprano Roberta Alexander will perform and work with students at the University of Dayton in a free and public master class from 4 to 5:30 p.m. Friday, April 5, in the Music and Theatre Building room 104.

During the master class, Alexander will perform as well as provide guidance to five UD voice students who will sing a variety of art-song and opera selections, said Lee Hoffman, voice coordinator and adjunct professor of music at the University.

Internationally renowned for both vocal and dramatic skills, Alexander has performed throughout the United States and Europe in such roles as Mimì in Puccini's *La Bohème* and as Mozart heroines Fiordiligi in *Così fan tutte*, Donna Elvira in *Don Giovanni* and Vitellia in *La Clemenza di Tito*.

Equally esteemed as an orchestral soloist, Alexander enjoyed success in 2001 as Ravel's Shéhérazade with André Previn and the NDR Sinfonieorchester of Hamburg, Germany, telecast throughout Europe. Among an extensive discography, her latest recordings include *Songs My Mother Taught Me* and *With You*, an anthology of Broadway songs.

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